

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 STATE 186110

40

ORIGIN SIG-02

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 AS-01 /004 R

66604

DRAFTED BY S/IG:WEKNIGHT/WNSTOKES:MES

9/18/73 EXT. 29222

APPROVED BY S/IG:TWMCELHINEY

ARA/LA:AMB. BOWDLER

----- 006601

R 191512Z SEP 73

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO ALL AMERICAN REPUBLIC DIPLOMATIC POSTS

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 186110

STADIS

FOR AMBASSADOR FROM INSPECTOR GENERAL

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: APER, OGEN

SUBJECT: INSPECTION OF ARA/LA

1. THE OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL IS CURRENTLY INSPECTING ARA/LA. THE INSPECTION TEAM PARTICULARLY NEEDS MISSIONS' VIEWS OF THEIR RELATIONS WITH ARA/LA RE:

A. U.S. POLICIES: IS CURRENT POLICY GUIDANCE NOW PROVIDED YOU BY DEPARTMENT ADEQUATE AND APPROPRIATE? ARE THERE POLICIES OR RELATED PROGRAMS WHICH SHOULD BE CHANGED OR HAVE DIFFERENT EMPHASIS? (IF SO, IDENTIFY SUCH POLICIES AND PROGRAMS AND BRIEFLY DESCRIBE HOW THEY SHOULD BE MODIFIED OR SUGGEST THOSE WHICH SHOULD BE DROPPED.) ARE REQUIREMENTS OF MULTILATERAL DIPLOMACY BEING GIVEN PROPER FOCUS IN RELATION TO BILATERAL CONDUCT OF RELATIONS? ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH PRESENT INTERACTION ON POLICY FORMULATION BETWEEN MISSION AND WASHINGTON AGENCIES?

B. ARA/LA BACK-STOPPING OF FIELD: HOW WOULD YOU CHARACTERIZE BACK-STOPPING OF YOUR POST'S NEEDS? HAVE YOU RECOMMENDED

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 STATE 186110

TIONS BY WHICH BUREAU'S RELATIONSHIPS TO YOUR POST COULD BE

IMPROVED, OR WHICH YOU FEEL HAVE NOT RECEIVED SUFFICIENT
ATTENTION IF PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED?

2. S/IG DOES NOT WISH TO BURDEN FIELD POSTS WITH YET
ANOTHER REQUIREMENT FOR EXTENDED REPLIES, UNLESS RECIPIENT
POSTS SEE PARTICULAR PROBLEMS. ACCORDINGLY, VERY BRIEF
REPLIES, IF APPROPRIATE, WILL MEET OUR NEEDS. REPLIES WILL
BE CONSIDERED PRIVILEGED INFORMATION AND WILL NOT (REPEAT
NOT) BE DIVULGED BY SPECIFIC CITATION OR REFERENCE IN THE
INSPECTION REPORT. YOUR TELEGRAPHIC RESPONSES CAPTIONED
"FOR S/IG ONLY" BY SEPTEMBER 25 WOULD BE APPRECIATED. RUSH

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 19 SEP 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: collinp0
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973STATE186110
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: WEKNIGHT/WNSTOKES:MES
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS MCELHINEY
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730924/aaaaargt.tel
Line Count: 72
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ORIGIN SIG
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: collinp0
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 30 JAN 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <30-Jan-2002 by martinml>; APPROVED <01 MAR 2002 by collinp0>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: INSPECTION OF ARA/LA
TAGS: APER, OGEN
To: ARA POSTS
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005